



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE

APPLICATION OF: Kent E. Regnier

SERIAL NO.: 09/482,135

FILED: January 12, 2000

FOR: CONNECTOR HAVING SUPPORTIVE
BARRIER COMPONENTS

EXAMINER: C. Prasad

ART UNIT: 2839

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 99-247 US

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

) I hereby certify that this document along with
) any documents referred to as being attached, is
) being deposited with the United States Postal
) Service on the date shown below as first class
) mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed
) to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents,
) P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-
) 1450.

) October 1, 2004
) Date

) Kerri Richardson
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three month(s) to October 4, 2004.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested
☒ X is filed herewith.
☐ has been filed.
☐ the response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.
3. Applicant is
☐ a small entity - verified statement:
☐ attached.
☐ already filed.
☒ X other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

<u>Total Months requested</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
<u> </u> 1 month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<u> </u> 2 months	\$ 430.00	\$ 215.00
<u> X </u> 3 months	\$ 980.00	\$ 490.00
<u> </u> 4 months	\$1,530.00	\$ 765.00
<u> </u> 5 months	\$2,080.00	\$1,040.00

Fee \$980.00

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

 An extension for months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension is now requested.

Extension fee due with this request

Fee \$980.00

5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any) the extended period for response will expire on **October 4, 2004.**

6. Fee Payment

 Attached is a check in the sum of \$.

 Charge Account 50-1873 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

 X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Account No. 50-1873 the sum of \$980.00 and this is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

MOLEX INCORPORATED

Date: October 1, 2004

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